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February 22, 2002

Ms. Deena Sheppard-Johnson
U.S. EPA Region 5, SR-6J
77 W. Jackson Boulevard
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Reference: EPA Contract No. 68-W-00-083; EPA Task Order No. 083-010; Region 5
Generic Potentially Responsible Party (PRP) Search, Chemical Recovery
Systems, Spill Site ID: 0521; Task 7 (Control E)

Dear Ms. Sheppard-Johnson:

TechLaw has completed a mailing for the Chemical Recovery Systems (CRS) site. The mailing was requested by the U.S. EPA Task Order Manager (TOM) during a meeting on January 11, 2002.

The mailing consisted of follow-up enforcement letters with attachments sent to ten (10) site Potentially Responsible Parties (PRPs) who are delinquent in their response. The PRPs include: Tommy Armour, Mahoning Paint, Johnson Plastics, General Tire, Checkmate Boats, Marlite, Masonite Corporation, National Can, Adams Automatic, and R.W. Beckett. Per the instruction of the TOM, the mailing was sent via certified mail and delivered to the U.S. EPA Mail Center on February 22, 2002. A copy of the 10 cover letters is included for your records. Per your direction, attachments to each of the cover letters were not provided to the U.S. EPA. Copies of all attachments are currently being maintained by TechLaw in the site file.

Please feel free to contact me at (312) 345-8967 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mr. William Hopkins
TechLaw Task Order Manager



cc: P. Parikh, EPA (w/o attachment)
T. Nash, EPA (w/o attachment)

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REGION 5
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

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CERTIFIED MAIL

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF

RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Checkmate Boats
3691 State Route 4
Bucyrus, OH 44820

Re: Follow up to Request for Information Pursuant to Section 104
of CERCLA for Chemical Recovery Systems, Inc., 142 Locust
Street, Elyria, Ohio 44035

Dear Sir or Madam:

On November 09, 2001 the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) issued a letter notifying you that you were determined to be a Potentially Responsible Party (PRP) at the abovementioned site. Included with the November 09, 2001 letter was an information request, dated March 02, 2001 pursuant to the Federal Superfund law Section 104(e) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 9604(e). Also included with the November 9, 2001 letter was a courtesy copy of the June 26, 2001 Special Notice.

A copy of the November 09, 2001 letter and the attached information request are enclosed with this letter. The information request was delivered to you by certified mail. The information request required certain documents and information be provided within thirty [30] days of your receipt of the letter.

Although the deadline has passed, U.S. EPA still has not received any response to its information request. To assist U.S. EPA in gathering information about contamination at the Site, please provide a complete response to the information request immediately.

If you have not responded to the information request because you are concerned that your responses may contain information that you consider "confidential," please be advised that you cannot withhold information or records upon that basis. Please refer to Enclosure 5 of the original letter to assert a business confidentiality claim.

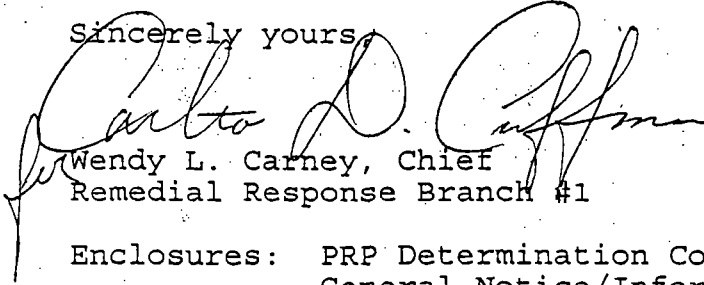
Continued failure to comply with U.S. EPA's information request, or to adequately justify such failure to respond, may subject you to enforcement action seeking to compel compliance and collect penalties of up to twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,500) per day of noncompliance pursuant to Section 104(e)(5) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §9604(e)(5). U.S. EPA has the authority to use the information requested herein in an administrative, civil, or criminal action.

Your response to the information request should be mailed to:

Deena Sheppard-Johnson
Enforcement Specialist
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Remedial Enforcement Support Section
77 West Jackson Boulevard SR-6J
Chicago, IL 60604-3590

Please contact Deena Sheppard-Johnson, Enforcement Specialist, at (312) 886-7048 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely yours,



Wendy L. Carney, Chief
Remedial Response Branch #1

Enclosures: PRP Determination Cover Letter of November 09, 2001
General Notice/Information Request Letter of
March 02, 2001

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<p>1. Article Addressed to:</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Checkmate Boats 3691 State Route 4 Bucyrus, OH 44820</p> </div>	<p>3. Service Type</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Registered <input type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Insured Mail <input type="checkbox"/> C.O.D.</p>
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Sent To Checkmate Boats

Street, Apt. No 3691 State Route 4

City, State, ZIP Bucyrus, OH 44820

D. Sheppard
Re: CRS

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